Production of Cephaloridine and Cephalexin

1499. SHRI RAJNI RANJAN SAHU: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the names of the companies which are licensed to produce Cephaloridine and Cephalexin alongwith the capacity approved in each case;

(b) what is the stage permitted to each and what was the percentage of import content to ex-factory value in each case;

(c) what was the production during 1985 of each unit of each drug;

(d) whether any quantity of these drugs were imported during 1985;

(e) if so, name of the company, quantity imported by each of each drug, CIF price of each drug, and the source of import;

(f) names of five major formulators of each drug,

(g) names of brands under which each formulator is marketing their products based on each drug;

(h) whether it is a fact that companies imported huge quantities of Cephalexin before the imposition of Custom duty; and

(i) if so, quantities imported during the last four months by each company?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CHEMICALS AND PETRO-CHEMICALS (SHRI R. K. JAICHANDRA SINGH): (a) and (b) Details of Industrial Licences granted for Cephaloridine and Cephalexin alongwith the capacity approved etc. are being published regularly by the India Investment Centre in their Monthly News Letter copies of which are available in the Parliament Library.

(c) M/s. Ranbaxy have reported commencement of production of Cephalexin. Cephaloridine is not yet produced in the country.

(d) and (e) Details of imports are published in the Monthly Statistics for Foreign Trade in India Vol. II, copies of which are available in the Parliament Library.

(f) and (g) Sales turnovers of individual formulations are not monitored. However, names of some brands being marketed by formulators are given below:

Name of the bulk drug	Brand name	Name of the company
1. Cephaloridine	(a) Ceporan	M/s. Glaxo
	(b) Sporidine	M/s. Ranbaxy
2. Cephalexin	(a) Sporidex	M/s. Ranbaxy
	(b) Phexin	M/s. Capsulation Services
	(c) Alcephin	M/s Alembic
	(d) Cephacillin	M/s Biddle Sawyer

(h) There are no such reports.

(i) Does not arise.

Industrial licences for Tamil Nadu State

1500. SHRI R. MOHANARANGAM: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the number of pending applications for the grant of industrial licences for Tamil Nadu State with the Government of India for the past three years; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) and (b) From 1983 to 1986 (as on 4.3.1986), 84 applications for the grant of Letters of Intent received under the provisions of Industries (Deve-